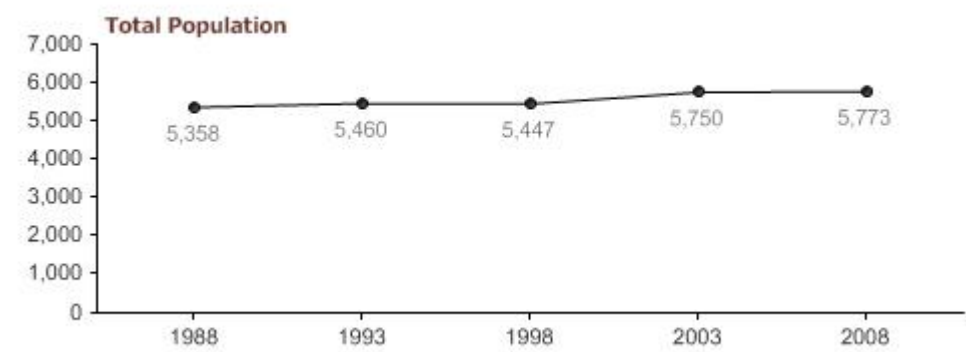


# Ohio County, IN Highlights

## Population

A region's economy thrives or dives because of the people who choose to live there. That choice may occur by being born there and desiring to stay, or a more deliberate one of choosing to relocate from somewhere else. Monitoring change in the size and movement of population is an important barometer of well-being. Some of us monitor these changes as an insect might gauge the shifting sands while most don't pay much attention. But the barometer is a good metaphor for population change since it can presage more notable events, such as lackluster business attraction due to lack of workers.

Population Over Time					
	1988	1993	1998	2003	2008
Total Population	5,358	5,460	5,447	5,750	5,773
Change Since 1988		102	89	392	415
Pct. Change Since 1988		1.9%	1.7%	7.3%	7.7%



Source: US Census Bureau

### Components of Population Change 2007 to 2008

	Number
Net Domestic Migration	12
International Migration	-1
Natural Increase (births minus deaths)	19
Births	63
Deaths	44

A bar chart titled "Components of Change" showing the breakdown of population change from 2007 to 2008. The y-axis represents the number of people, ranging from -5 to 25 in increments of 5. The x-axis lists three categories: Domestic Migration, International Migration, and Natural Increase. The bars are colored blue, red, and green respectively.

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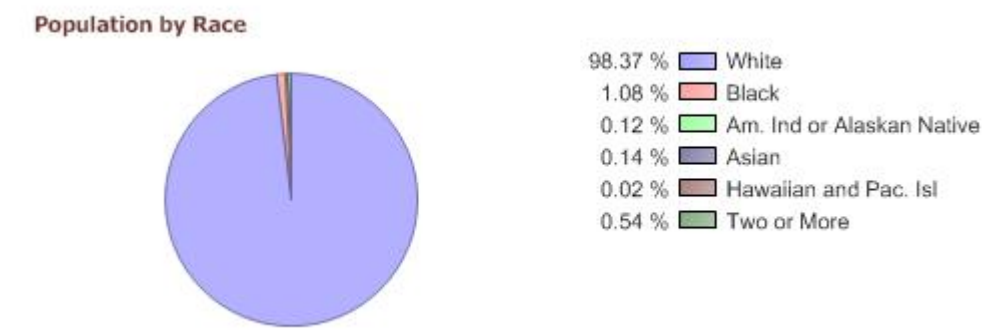
### Population Estimates by Age in 2007

	Number	Pct. Dist
Preschool	317	5.5%
School Age	966	16.8%
College Age	457	7.9%

Young Adult	1,612	28.0%
Older Adult	1,645	28.6%
Older (65 plus)	775	13.5%

Source: US Census Bureau

Population Estimates by Race and Hispanic Origin in 2007		
	Number	Pct. Dist
American Ind. or Alaskan Native Alone	7	0.1%
Asian Alone	8	0.1%
Black Alone	62	1.1%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pac. Isl. Alone	1	0.0%
White Alone	5,663	98.4%
Two or More Race Groups	31	0.5%



Hispanic or Latino		
Non-Hispanic or Latino	5,737	99.7%
Hispanic or Latino	35	0.6%

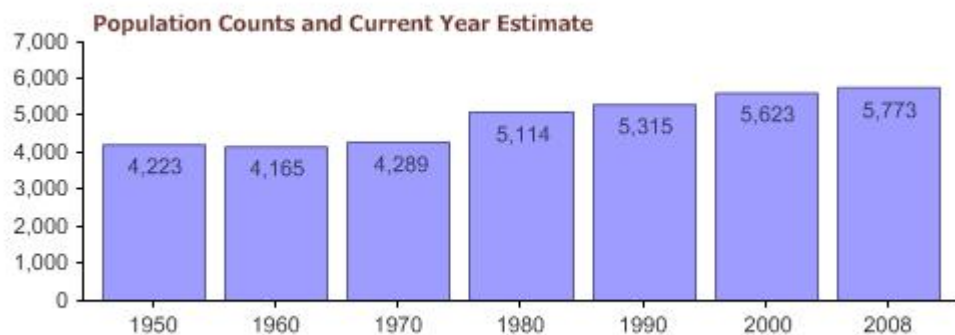
Source: US Census Bureau

Households in 2000		
	Number	Pct. Dist
Total Households	2,201	100.0%
Family Households	1,588	72.1%
Married with Children	536	24.4%
Married without Children	782	35.5%
Single Parents	167	7.6%
Other	103	4.7%
Non-family Households	613	27.9%
Living Alone	510	23.2%
Average Household Size	2.56	
Average Family Household Size	3.55	

Source: US Census Bureau

Population Counts by Decade and Current Year Estimate			
	Population	Numerical Chg.	Pct. Chg.
1950	4,223	NA	NA
1960	4,165	-58	-1.4%
1970	4,289	124	3.0%
1980	5,114	825	19.2%
1990	5,315	201	3.9%

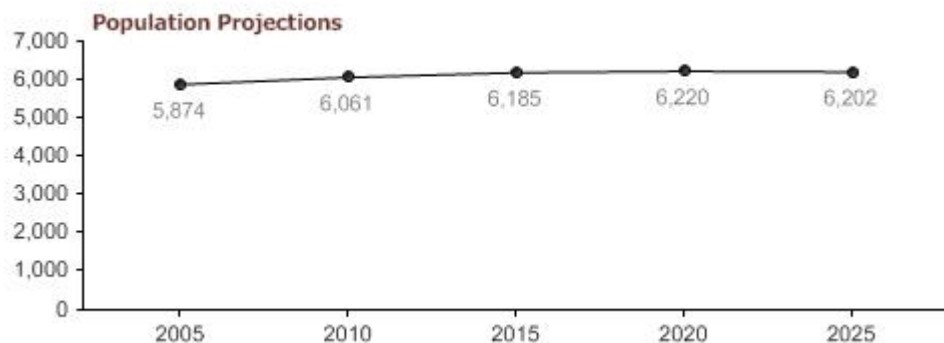
April 2000	5,623	308	5.8%
2008	5,773	150	2.7%



Source: U.S. Census Bureau

## Population Projections

	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
<b>Population Projections</b>	5,874	6,061	6,185	6,220	6,202
<b>Change Since 2005</b>		187	311	346	328
<b>Pct. Change Since 2005</b>		3.2%	5.3%	5.9%	5.6%



Source: Indiana Business Research Center